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HIGH TENSION WIRE KILLS

IRON PIPE COMES IN CONTACT WITH 13,000 VOLT WIRE.

Man Holding Pipe Was Severely Burnt and Instantly Killed While at Work Digging a Well.

Earl W. Baumgardner, aged 21, of Orrtanna, was instantly killed just before the noon hour Monday at Gardner's Station, when an iron pole, or piece of pipe, in his hands came in contact with a high tension wire of the Cumberland Valley Light and Power Company, carrying 13,000 volts. With his brother-in-law he was engaged in digging a well at the Musselman cannery plant at Gardner's when the accident occurred. Intending to ascertain how much water was in the well, he was using the iron pipe, which was twenty feet long, and had it in the air preparatory to lowering it into the well, when it came in contact with the wire. So severely was he burned that black marks from the nails in his shoes were left on the concrete cover of the well. Mr. Baumgardner had been married just a week before Memorial Day to Miss Martha Ball, of Cashtown, and also is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baumgardner, of Orrtanna.

Mrs. Etta Pearl Ehrhart, wife of the Rev. Earl V. Ehrhart, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Rensselaer, N. Y., died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward Oyler, Chambersburg street, last week. She was 33 years old. Mrs. Ehrhart had been ill for the past three years, but was confined to bed only during the last nine weeks of her illness. Overwork in the affairs of her husband's church and the effects of several operations are believed to have resulted in undermining her vitality. She was president of the Ladies' Aid and superintendent of the Cradle Roll of St. Paul's Church, Rensselaer. She was a member of the Eastern Star Society, No. 256, and the Order of Amaranths. Rev. and Mrs. Ehrhart were married thirteen years ago in April. Her husband graduated from Gettysburg College with class of 1909 and from the Seminary three years later. Besides her husband Mrs. Ehrhart is survived by one son, Kenneth; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward Oyler four sisters, Mrs. J. H. Snyder of Carlisle; Mrs. R. E. Lee, of Gettysburg; Mrs. Ross R. Myers and Miss Indus Oyler, of Gettysburg, and one brother, Paul Oyler, of York. Funeral services last Friday by Rev. W. C. Robinson, pastor of the Gettysburg Presbyterian Church, of which the deceased was a member before her marriage to Rev. Ehrhart. Interment in the Evergreen Cemetery.

Samuel W. Bercaw, a retired Adams county farmer, died last Friday at his home in Waynesboro, following an accident over a week ago when he fell at his home and dislocated his hip, though he had been partially helpless in his lower limbs for several months. He was aged 75 years, 7 months and 19 day. He is survived by his only son, C. O. Bercaw, of Waynesboro, a substitute city mail carrier; a brother, W. G. Bercaw, of near Gettysburg, and a sister, Mrs. E. J. Pitzer, Littlestown. Mr. Bercaw's wife, who was Miss Maria Mills, died in Waynesboro four years ago, the past June. He was the son of Isaac Bercaw and was born near Gettysburg and had resided in Waynesboro for four years. He was a member of the United Brethren Church. Funeral was on Monday.

John P. Flickinger, who resided near the Hoffman Orphanage, above Littlestown, died at his home on last Saturday morning from cirrhosis of the liver, aged 68 years, 5 months and 8 days. He was a son of the late George and Anna M. Flickinger. Surviving him are his widow, who was Miss Sarah A. Albaugh, of Frederick county, Md., and two sons, C. Vernon Flickinger and H. Roy Flickinger, both of Baltimore. He is also survived by four brothers and three sisters. The funeral was on Wednesday with interment at Woodsboro, Md.

Mrs. Leah Gise Walter, wife of C. P. Walter, died at her home in McKnightstown on last Friday after a year's illness of diabetes, aged 74 years, 1 month and 24 days. Mrs. Walter's maiden name was Miss Leah Gise, and she was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Gise, of Butler township. On August 22, 1874, Miss Gise was married to Mr. Walter by the late Rev. Dr. Edward Breidenbaugh, of Gettysburg. She is survived by her husband, one son, Otis Walter, of McKnightstown; one daughter, Mrs. Robert Shull, of Cashtown; one step-daughter, Mrs. Minnie Cluck, of McKnightstown; three step-sons, William Walter, of Chambersburg; John F. Walter, of Gettysburg, and David S. Walter, of Hills, Minnesota; one brother, Abram Gise, of Butler township, and one half-brother, Adams Gise, of Shippensburg. Funeral services were on Thursday afternoon at Flohr's Church by Rev. E. J. Berkey, assisted by her former pastor, Rev. Dr. D. T. Koser, of Gettysburg. Interment in the cemetery adjoining the church.

Henry Peters, veteran of the Civil War, a native of Adams county, and lifelong resident of Fairfield, died on Tuesday evening at the home of his son, James Peters. Death was due to cancer. Mr. Peters was aged 80 years, 8 months and 16 days. He leaves a wife, who is also a native of this county, and six children, Mrs. Fannie McGlaughlin, of McKnightstown; Mrs. Harry Gallagher, of Gettysburg; and Arthur W. Maring and son and Mrs. Steiner of Cleverland, who spent several days this week at the home of Mrs. David Maring, Baltimore street, have gone to Washington, D. C. They are traveling by automobile and will return home by the way of Atlantic City, New York and Buffalo.

Mrs. Lizzie M. Deeter, widow of Eli Deeter, died Monday evening at home of her son, G. Clifton Deeter, near Shiloh, York county in her 82nd year. Although born in Adams county, she spent many of her years in York county. She leaves three sons, G. Clifton and John C., of York, and T. Bruce, of Harrisburg; two brothers, Caleb A. and J. Edwin Sheets, both of York.

GIGANTIC POWER SYSTEM

FOUR COUNTY TOWNS PART OF NEW SYSTEM.

Stretching from Gettysburg, Furthest Point West, to Within 30 Miles of New York City.

A means of furnishing cities and towns in this vicinity, including York, Harrisburg, Middletown, York Haven, Hanover, McSherrystown, New Oxford and Littlestown, with an additional supply of electricity for light and power was provided when work was completed on the construction of a steel tower, high tension transmission line that connects the system of the Metropolitan Edison Company, of Reading, with that of its associate, the Pennsylvania Edison Company, at Easton.

Completion of the transmission line from Easton to Reading closed the final gap in the Pennsylvania-New Jersey Power System. This super-power system, with four main generating stations, now supplies electricity for light and power in a territory extending from York to York Haven, northwardly to Harrisburg, across Pennsylvania by way of Lebanon, Reading and Easton to Dover, N. J., and beyond this point to within 30 miles of New York City.

The spanning of high tension transmission lines across the final gap in the Pennsylvania-New Jersey Power System makes it possible to shoot power from the station of The New Jersey Power & Light Company, at Dover, through Easton, Reading and Lebanon to all light and power customers in this territory. With the completion of a transmission line from York to Hanover, the power resources of the Pennsylvania-New Jersey System will also be available in the territory of Gettysburg, Hanover, New Oxford, McSherrystown and Littlestown, all of which are at present being served by the Hanover Power Company and the Gettysburg Electric Company, associates of the Metropolitan Edison Company.

The new transmission line from Easton to Reading was built at a cost of about \$700,000. It has a carrying capacity of 114,000 volts and is now operating with a 66,000 volt load.

Interchange of power between the various companies which form the Pennsylvania-New Jersey Power System makes possible the greatest efficiency in operation of the several plants. The four main generating stations now providing power for the super power system are located at Dover, N. J., Easton, Reading and York Haven, being operated, respectively, by The New Jersey Power & Light Company, the Pennsylvania Edison Company, the Metropolitan Edison Company and the York Haven Water & Power Company. Power from one or all of these stations is now available in the wide extent of territory covered by the distribution lines of the various companies.

To provide for the future electric light and power needs of this territory two base load stations are now under construction, one at Middletown on the Susquehanna, and the other at Holland on the Delaware River, near Easton. These stations will each have an initial capacity of 30,000-kilowatts and this will be increased until they reach a maximum of approximately 200,000 kilowatts.

Catoctin Furnace Property Sold.

The historic Catoctin Furnace tract in Carroll county along the Frederick pike, between Emmitsburg and Thurmont, has changed owner as announced last week. The new owners are Lancelot Jacques, Sr., of Smithsburg, Washington county, Md., and Stanley Hauer, Foxville, Carroll county, Md. They acquired it by purchase from Joseph E. Thropp, the present owner. It is a tract of 10,170 acres, embracing a village of 44 houses, an Episcopal church, store, and an old mansion built by Thomas Johnson, first governor of Maryland and by Lancelot Jacques, great-grandfather of the present Lancelot Jacques.

The tract is 7 miles long and extends along the Catoctin mountains for about three miles along the Emmitsburg state road. It will be developed by the new owners. The village will be preserved in its present condition, according to an announcement made by the new owners. Most of the houses are large stone buildings of great antiquity. The Johnson mansion is typical of the colonial period. The purchase price was not made known by the new owners.

Nomination Papers.

Thursday, July 12, was the first day to secure signatures to nomination papers and all announced candidates for county offices took out their papers on Thursday and the matter of getting signatures began. 100 names are required for any county office and for ward, borough and township offices. The completed papers must be filed not later than Tuesday, August 21 and the primary will be on Tuesday, September 18th.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Maring and son and Mrs. Steiner of Cleverland, who spent several days this week at the home of Mrs. David Maring, Baltimore street, have gone to Washington, D. C. They are traveling by automobile and will return home by the way of Atlantic City, New York and Buffalo.

COUNTY FIREMEN IN SESSION

GOOD PARADE AND BIG DAY IN BIGLERVILLE ON JULY 4TH.

Effort Will be Made for Ordinances to Provide Help Between Boroughs When Call is Made.

The Adams County Firemen's Association at their quarterly meeting in Thomas Brothers' Hall on July 4th, elected George Felix, of McSherrystown, as a county representative to the State Firemen's Association in Reading in October.

Joseph Groft, of McSherrystown, and D. A. Washington, of Biglerville, will be the representatives at Southeastern Firemen's Convention in Steelton on Aug. 26.

An effort will be made to have each borough in Adams county pass an ordinance requiring that any fire chief of any town must answer without charge a call for help in a fire from a fire chief of any other town in the county.

Arendtsville was chosen as the scene of the next quarterly meeting of the Firemen's Association.

Plans were made and committees appointed for the second annual picnic of the Association to be held in Gettysburg on Labor Day. On the committee of arrangements are D. C. Stallsmith, M. E. Crouse, C. E. Ziegler, I. D. Kelly, Joe Codori, Guy Wardell, G. A. McClellan, Ralph Redding, A. J. Florence and S. E. Swope, of Gettysburg; George Felix, and Frank Ekenrode, of McSherrystown; William L. Baumgartner, Bendersville; D. A. Washington, Biglerville; F. J. Adams, Mt. Rock; Charles Anthony, Littlestown; S. L. Allison, Fairfield; Samuel D. Kling, East Berlin; C. E. Stover, Arendtsville.

On the parade committee, the following were elected: William Timmins and Jesse E. Snyder, of Gettysburg; J. D. Deardorff, of Biglerville; Joseph F. Groft, McSherrystown; John Rider, of East Berlin; Charles Peffer, Littlestown; E. E. Carson, Bendersville; P. M. Rohrbaugh, Fairfield; A. C. Neiderer, Mt. Rock; H. Raffensperger, Arendtsville.

The publicity committee is composed of the following: William G. Weaver and Wilbur Stallsmith, of Gettysburg; E. Dale Heiges, Biglerville; S. H. Weaver, McSherrystown; B. A. Jacobs, East Berlin; J. W. Little, Littlestown; H. W. Knouse, Bendersville; M. F. Rock and P. J. Orner, of Arendtsville.

The Biglerville meeting was the occasion of a firemen's parade, baseball game, festival and dance.

The order of parade was as follows: The East Berlin Company with its band, led the line of march. Then followed Mt. Rock Centennial Company; McSherrystown, with its band; the Gettysburg Company with the new La France engine, and the Yellowhill Fire Company, composed of colored residents of Yellowhill, brought up the rear of the line.

Prizes awarded visiting fire companies for their showing in the parade went to the East Berlin company for having the highest percentage of its membership in line, the prize being \$25; Mt. Rock Centennial Company won the award of \$15 for the largest representation which was not accompanied by a band.

Biglerville won baseball game over Midway in the morning by score of 9 to 4 and lost to the same team during the afternoon by 7 to 9.

Boose Raid in Littlestown.

Twelve state policemen in plain clothes went down to Littlestown quietly last Saturday and conducted a series of raids on places suspected of possessing or selling intoxicating liquor. The raid were made simultaneously. Three men were arrested and liquor and beer were confiscated at two places.

Edward DeHoff was arrested when a raid was made on his bottling works and Paul Okul and Robert Godfrey were arrested in a raid on Hotel Ocker. Each was held on \$1,000 bail for a hearing before Squire Hill, Gettysburg, on Wednesday.

In addition to the two places where liquor or beer was found the police searched the pool rooms of Mervin Collins and William Wilt and Grover Stover, and the grocery store of Harry Bowers. Nothing was found in these places.

On Wednesday at the hearing the alleged charges against Collins, Wilt, Stover and Bowers were dismissed. The case against DeHoff was heard and he was held in jail to answer the charge at the August court. The hearings of Okul and Godfrey were continued and fixed for July 31.

The police in making their raid in Littlestown on Saturday afternoon went about their work quietly. Practically all of the places had been visited before it became known that raids were in progress, as the dozen police split up into pairs. According to the allegations of the state police they seized liquor and high power beer. Twelve cases of the latter were brought to their headquarters in Gettysburg.

Miss Bessie Kelly, York street has gone to Philadelphia where she has accepted a clerical position in a bank.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Allen of Auburndale, Florida, are the guests of Miss Jennie McIlhenny, Chambersburg street.

A SERIES OF ACCIDENTS.

Injured Are Being Cared for at the Annie M. Warner Hospital.

The Annie M. Warner Hospital has received an unusual number of accident cases during these warm July days.

On Thursday of this week Doris Eltz, a five and a half years old daughter of Frank Eltz, of McSherrystown, was accidentally run over by a machine driven by Augustus Miller, of the same place. She received a fracture of the right arm and of the shoulder blade and was cut and bruised when dragged from beneath the car. Mr. Miller carried the child to Dr. Rice, and after first aid treatment she was sent to the Annie M. Warner Hospital. The accident occurred near the Eltz home. Doris was playing with a group of children and was running after an ice wagon. She failed to see the approaching car and darted in the roadway without being aware of her danger. The accident was unavoidable. While the condition of the child is serious hopes are entertained for her recovery.

Joseph W. Cushing, 32 years old, of Baltimore, is slowly recovering from a serious accident. He is an employee of the Schell Transfer Co., of Baltimore, and was asleep on the seat of the truck when the driver lost control from a locking of the steering gear on the Harrisburg road near York Springs. The truck turned turtle and Cushing was crushed about chest and back. The truck when righted was able to proceed on its way. Cushing at the present time is much improved.

A touring car was hit on the Lincoln Highway about two and a half miles from town on Thursday of last week by a truck driven by Harvey Guyer of town. It is said a front wheel of truck caught a rear wheel of car and latter was upset at the side of the road. In the car were Fred B. Cherry, 38 years old, and W. F. Condel, 41 years old, both of Burlington, N. J. Mrs. Condel and two daughters, Mildred and Anna. They were no the way to their homes after a trip to Niagara Falls. Mr. Condel suffered a dislocated collar bone and other injuries, and Mr. Cherry received a number of lacerations. Mrs. Condel and daughters escaped serious injury. The two men were taken to the Annie M. Warner Hospital and are well on their way to recovery.

Two men were hurt on Sunday when the car they were driving left the Lincoln Highway two miles west of Gettysburg. Knocked down twenty feet of fence and turned over three times. The occupants of car were Edward Hegener, aged 10 and Walter Hatz, aged 18, both of Lancaster. The men were taken to the Annie M. Warner Hospital. On Monday Dr. Paul R. Byerley, of Lancaster claimed the machine in which the two men were riding had been stolen from him. Hegener was unconscious when picked up and did not regain consciousness for some time and was badly cut, and on Monday insisted upon his father signing a release to the hospital and they left for Lancaster. Later the state police arrested Hatz with a broken leg and as soon as he recovers will be taken in charge by the police. Still later Hegener was reported arrested after reaching Lancaster.

ELECTRIC PLANT DESTROYED.

Early Morning Fire at Orrtanna Cleans Up Plant and Equipment.

The destruction of the Orrtanna Light and Power Company early last Saturday morning left a large section of the county without electric light. The plant had furnished light for Orrtanna, Fairfield, Cashtown, McKnightstown, Seven Stars, Mummasburg and Biglerville and many homes in those towns enjoyed electric light.

The fire is supposed to have been caused from the exhaust pipe going out through roof and setting fire to the roof of the building.

The fire was discovered about five o'clock in the morning by Charles Mellinger, night watchman at the plant, and had a headway too much for one man to combat. Before leaving building Mr. Mellinger turned off the power for plant is generated by a large fuel engine and a thirty foot water wheel and was kept going day and night.

The plant was a total loss, the engine and water wheel being destroyed and the 50 kilowatt generator, also a 25 kilowatt generator in building and not in use, with all the apparatus and equipment about the plant. The loss is estimated at between \$18,000 and \$20,000.

Mr. Samuel Z. Musselman, of Orrtanna, practically owned the plant. It had been run at first by a fuel engine and only last year had been developed with the water wheel addition and the light system had been extended. The company had been selling power to a number of plants in that section.

Mr. Musselman states the plant will be rebuilt as quickly as it can be done and he expects to make arrangements with the Gettysburg Electric Light Co. for light and power until he can build and resume service.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Weikert and daughter, York street, left on Monday for an automobile trip to Indianapolis, Ind., where they will visit until August 1st.

PERSONAL POINTS OF VIEW

COMINGS AND GOINGS INTO AND OUT OF THE TOWN.

Social and Other Individual Happenings and Other Local Items of Interest.

—Miss Margaret McAllister and Miss Mary McAllister, East High street, are spending a week at Penmar.

—Mr. and Mrs. Prouty, of Meriden, Conn., are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Edwin Ross, York street.

—Mrs. Grace B. Corwin, of West Palm Beach, Florida, is spending some time at the home of her brother Rev. E. H. Hummelbaug, West High street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rupp, West Middle street, accompanied David Shaffer and son who have been visiting here, on a motor trip to Martinsburg, Pa., where they will visit Rev. and Mrs. Shaffer for several weeks.

—Mrs. Lillie Elder, of Wilkinsburg, is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sterner, Chambersburg street.

—Mrs. Courtland Nixon and daughter, Miss Peggy Nixon, Lincoln avenue, are spending some time at Lake Placid, N. Y.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Subject to Decision of Democratic

Primaries, September 18, 1923.

Encouraged by the advice of the Democratic State Chairman, Ausin E. McCullough, given to the Democrats of Adams county at the big Jackson Day celebration, that the Democrats should put upon the ticket at least one woman for one of the offices to be filled, the following announcement is made:

FOR REGISTER AND RECORDER
EDNA E. EICHOLTZ,
 of Gettysburg

FOR REGISTER AND RECORDER
CHARLES G. TAUGHINBAUGH.

Born in Reading township, Adams county, in early seventies, son of a farmer, educated in the public schools of Adams county, later engaged in farming in Reading township, Straban township, and the last five years that I farmed was in Cumberland township, since that time have been in the auto livery business.

Now a Democratic candidate for nomination for Register and Recorder. Your vote and influence will be appreciated on September 18, 1923.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER
HARRY E. TROXEL
 of Gettysburg

FOR COUNTY TREASURER
LILY DOUGHERTY
 Of Gettysburg

Having been defeated four years ago for the election of County Treasurer I again announce myself for the office of

COUNTY TREASURER,
JOHN E. McDONNELL.
 Of Gettysburg.

FOR SHERIFF,
WALTER J. CRAUMER,
 Authorized Ford Dealer,
 Abbottstown, Pa.

FOR SHERIFF
G. D. MORRISON
 Of Straban Township.

FOR DIRECTOR OF THE POOR
JOHN A. STAMBAUGH
 Of Berwick Township.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER
H. F. PHILLIPS
 Of Reading Township.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER
NORMAN J. KING
 of Latimore Township.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER
DAVID G. SELL
 Of Union Township.

I deeply appreciate the support given me when a candidate for the nomination for County Commissioner four years ago, when the voters made me third high, only 39 votes below the second man, the first and second being nominated. I will be most thankful for your support and votes at the primary this year.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER
C. A. HERSHY,
 Of Franklin Township.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER
JOHN P. RAHN
 Of Conewago Township.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER
H. B. GEISELMAN
 Of Mt. Pleasant.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER
J. V. ULRICH
 Of Germany Township.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER
REUBEN SCHWARTZ
 Mt. Joy Township.

FOR CLERK OF THE COURTS
LUTHER C. PLANK
 Of Butler Township.

FOR PROTHONOTARY
HENRY C. SHRYOCK
 Of Hanover Township.

FOR PROTHONOTARY
C. B. YOHE
 Of Hanover Township.

FOR COUNTY AUDITOR
HARRY B. BEARD
 of Gettysburg.

THE HARRISBURG SHOW.

Governor Pinchot cut the appropriation to the Treasury Department \$120,000. Republican State Treasurer Snyder replies with a telegram not as follows:

First—I am not concerned about the appropriation. When it is exhausted this office will get along with these officers for whom money is provided, and the others will get an indefinite leave of absence. The business of the office will go along with the half dozen officers provided for by law.

Second—The statement that this office is not working the hours required by law, as made by Governor Pinchot, is gratuitous and is just as false as most of the statements he has given out since he has been a candidate and since he has been Governor.

Third—As far as this office is concerned, it will be conducted absolute-

Freedom

High on the crown points of the Statue of Liberty in New York harbor, Carl Berquist, acrobatic steeplejack, executed some thrilling stunts last week. Photo shows comparative size of man to the great statue, which holds out the torch of Liberty and Freedom to thousands of old world oppressed as they came to merge in this great melting pot of freemen.

In accordance with the law and not in accordance with any policy formulated by a man who, when he was State Forester, had the greatest absentee record of all the employees and officers of the Commonwealth.

Fourth—The attempt at dictatorship does not in any way disturb anybody who is acquainted with the policy of the professional reformers. In the meantime the State Treasurer will serve the people without telling the press how much better he is doing than has been done in the past.

P. S.—All new appointees of the Executive Board are getting increased salaries.

DEATHS.
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Gettysburg, Harry Peters, of York; Walter, of Rochelle, Ill., and Frank and James, of Fairfield. Funeral services were from St. Mary's Church, Fairfield, Friday morning with requiem high mass by Rev. P. F. Sullivan, and interment at Fairfield.

Norris F. Howe died last Saturday morning at his home near Guernsey, Butler township, after a lingering illness of Bright's disease aged 58 years, 6 months and 18 days. He leaves a wife and three daughters, the Misses Alice, Corinne and Pearl, all at home. Funeral services were held on Monday afternoon at the Biglerville Lutheran Church by Rev. S. F. Thiel, with interment in the cemetery adjoining.

William I. Rider died at his home in Philadelphia last week. He was the oldest son of the late Catherine Rider who died several years ago in McSherrystown. He had lived in Philadelphia for many years, but was born in this county. The funeral was on Monday. He leaves three brothers and two sisters, all living in Adams county: Edward Rider, of Oxford township; Sylvester Rider, F. X. Rider, Mrs. Gabriella Kurn, and Mrs. Anna Fuchs, of McSherrystown.

Pensions Awarded.

Commissioner Gladfelter reports the following pensions and increases recently granted and adjusted in his district, all being Civil War pensioners except one, and that a Spanish-American pension:

John W. Rehner, York, \$30, original widow of Wm. Rehner.

Evelyn E. Grove, Bridgeton, \$30, original widow of Joseph D. Grove.

David Starr, York Springs, increase from \$30 to \$72.

Geo. W. Leenartz, York, increase from \$30 to \$72.

Martin Frey, York, increase from \$30 to \$72.

Amanda Fortney, Dillsburg, \$30, original widow of Christopher Fortney.

Mary M. Harbaugh, Fairfield, \$30, original widow of Peter Harbaugh.

Chas. W. Glessner, (Spanish-American) original \$12.

Josephine Overbaugh, \$30, original widow of Lewis C. Overbaugh, McSherrystown.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Martin of Tower City spent several days last week with Mrs. Martin's sister, Mrs. Frank Deardorff, West Middle street.

—Mrs. A. L. Sowers and daughter, North Stratton street, have gone to Dayton, Ohio, to visit Mrs. Sowers parents.

For the Days Outdoors Loveliest of the Year



For vacation days--

For glorious week-end trips--

For the golden hours of daylight saving--

Right clothes that mean so much--

Needed accessories of every sport--

Ready here in full supply--

When you know just what you want—kind, style, color, shape, size and the like—you'll find it here.

When you are in doubt about just what is right--when you don't just know what the new season has produced, come here and our stocks will tell you all that you wish to know.

The best always.

At the fairest prices.



G. W. Weaver & Son
Dry Goods Department Store
Gettysburg

KEEPS CHILDREN WELL AND STRONG

TIN, pale, impoverished blood makes children frail, backward and delicate.

Gude's Pepto-Mangan creates a bountiful supply of pure, red blood, restores bodily strength, brings back color to the cheeks and builds firm, well-rounded flesh.

For over 30 years Gude's Pepto-Mangan has been recommended by leading physicians as a tonic and blood enricher. Your druggist has it—liquid or tablets, as you prefer.

Gude's Pepto-Mangan

Tonic and Blood Enricher

Adams County Treasurer Zinn has already issued 752 fish licenses, as against a total of 340 for all of 1922.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Medicine fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists. *“Hall's Family Pills”* for constipation.

Sidney S. Smith son of Rev. Andrew H. Smith, of Hoffmann Orphanage, near Littlestown, who was graduated this spring from the Franklin and Marshall seminary, Lancaster, has accepted call to the pastorate of the Reformed church of Haworth, Pa., about 60 miles Pittsburgh.

For a mild, easy action of the bowels, try Dean's Regurgit, a moderate laxative, got at all stores.

Russel Florr has purchased the farm of James Paxton in Littlemore township and will take possession on October 1st. The farm contains 13 acres.

CHILDREN

Should not be “sooted”
for colds—apply “externally”

Vicks Vaporub

Jacob Trimmer, who conducts five and ten cent stores at Carlisle, Dillsburg and Mechanicsburg, has rented the Einert store room at York Springs and it is said will open a similar store there.

Taking baby up at night is often the cause of bad colds. Use Dr. Fahrney's Teething Syrup and stay in bed 25cts.

Lutheran Reunion at Pen Mar. The 37th annual Lutheran reunion will be held at Pen Mar on Thursday, July 26. Among the speakers will be Rev. Dr. H. W. A. Hanson, recently elected president of Gettysburg College; the Rev. Dr. A. R. Steck, Carlisle; the Rev. Dr. A. R. Wolf, Baltimore; the Rev. Walter Kraub, York, and the Rev. Dr. G. W. Nicely, pastor of St. Mark's Lutheran Church, Hanover, and president of the West Pennsylvania Synod. An elaborate musical program has been prepared. The Rev. S. W. Enders, York, is general chairman of the program committee.

For any itching skin trouble, piles, eczema, salt rheum, hives, itch, scald, head herpes, scabies, Doan's Ointment is highly recommended 6c a box at all stores.

The 36-acre farm of the late Innis M. Fine in Shambra township was sold on Saturday at public sale by Chas. A. Williams, Exr., to the D. W. K. of the D. W. K. for \$2,000. Possession April 1st.

Heavy impure blood makes a muddy, pimply complexion, dusky, indigestion. Thin blood makes you weak, pale and sickly. For pure blood sound digestion, use Burdock Blood Bitters. \$1.25 at all stores.

Two young men from Salt Lake City, missouri, for the last 14 days have been staying at York Springs resort. A score of men and women were present but none was converted to the Mormon faith.

Dr. Fahrney's Teething Syrup is the best remedy for any sickness baby gets, no matter how young or how old. Try it.

Rev. L. B. Hafer of the Lutheran Church of Littlestown has tendered his resignation, effective August 1st, closing a period of twelve and a half years with that congregation. His health is the cause of Rev. Hafer giving up his charge.

For baby's crop, Willie's daily cuts and bruises mothers' sore throat, Grandma's lameness—Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil—the household remedy 30c and 60c.

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE.

Estate of Charles Shilling, deceased—Letters testamentary on the estate of Charles Shilling, late of Oxford township, Adams county, Pa., having been granted to the undersigned she hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

Emma Shilling,
New Oxford, R. 3,
Executive.

What Advertising Means to You

Every now and then we like to talk to our merchants about advertising and we like to do it in this way because the subject is of equal interest to the public. Frankly the interest of the public, the interest of the merchant and the interest of the local newspaper publisher are inseparably linked.

The public always is best served by buying advertised goods. Goods that are advertised are goods that are more extensively manufactured and consequently cheaper because of increased production. Moreover advertising today is a guarantee of merit. No one need be afraid either of the honesty of the price or the quality of advertised goods. Competition compels honesty even if there should be a wish to avoid it.

There is another benefit, too, in local newspaper advertising. When advertising is thoughtfully employed it means the building of trade for our local merchants and this reacts in increase in real estate values generally. A prosperous business section means added population and increased conveniences. The whole scheme of advertising, merchandising and buying is one of cooperation to mutual advantage.

The merchant always wins favorable reaction when he talks frankly in his advertising to the people and shows them he is dealing honestly with them and making a normal profit.

The man who week by week consistently in his advertising shows he holds the public interest at heart is the man who wins. Many merchants lose the substance of public confidence in grasping for the shadow of immediate sales.

Why We Boost the Schools

Newspaper readers, particularly those who have no children, often wonder why newspaper editors take such a keen interest in the building of new schools and the encouragement of education. Sometimes, when the cost of school extension seems particularly heavy, efforts are made to have it appear as if the local editor were unmindful of the public interest in forever boosting for new avenues of learning. But let us lift the professional curtain so that you may see there is usually helpful thought behind the writing of an editorial.

The growth of population places succeeding generations at a disadvantage. Original stores of natural wealth are being depleted. They must be constantly replenished.

Carefree folks say that by the time exhaustion is in sight we will have taken care of the situation some other way; that when a new fuel is found, coal and mining won't be necessary. And there exactly is the point. The great need of the hour is for invention, for scientific research, for discovery, for ingenuity, for the development of all those characteristics that can find root only in the trained and educated mind.

Unless we invent and discover new methods of production and distribution in excess of consumption and destruction, life will soon become unbearable. Prices will rise to a point where human existence will be burdened.

That is why we always boost the schools, even when they are hard to pay for.

BANK STATEMENT.

Reserve District No. 3.

Report of the condition of the Gettysburg National Bank at Gettysburg in the State of Pennsylvania at the close of business on June 30, 1923.

RESOURCES.

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| Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with indorsement of this bank | \$1,204,861.06 |
| Overdrafts unsecured | 729.35 |
| U. S. GOVERNMENT SECURITIES OWNED: | |
| Deposited to secure circulation. U. S. Bonds, par value | \$145,000.00 |
| All other U. S. Government securities (including premiums, if any) | 168,700.00 |
| Other bonds, stocks, securities | 313,700.00 |
| Banking house | 410,658.29 |
| Furniture and fixtures | 12,117.20 |

Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank

Cash in vault and amount due from national banks

Checks on other banks in the same town as reporting bank

Miscellaneous cash items

Redemption Fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer

Total

LIABILITIES.

| | |
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| Capital stock paid in | \$2,143,049.18 |
| Surplus fund | |
| Undivided profits | |
| Circulating notes outstanding | |
| Amount due to national banks | |
| Amount due to State banks, bankers and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries | |
| Certified checks outstanding | |
| Cashier's checks outstanding | |
| DEMAND DEPOSITS (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days): | |
| Individual deposits subject to check | |
| Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed) | |
| Dividends unpaid | |
| TIME DEPOSITS subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice and postal savings): | |
| Certificates of deposit other than for money borrowed | |
| Other time deposits | 908,987.89 |
| Bills payable (including all obligations representing money borrowed other than rediscounts) | 158,272.31 |
| Total | 127,500.00 |

Total

State of Pennsylvania, County of Adams, S.S.:

I, I. L. Taylor, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I. L. Taylor, Cashier.

Correct attest:

W. S. Houck

C. W. Johnson

Chas. W. Biesecker

Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of July, 1923.

William L. Meals, Notary Public.

My commission expires Mar. 25, 1925.

MARRIAGES.

Bollinger-Klinedinst—Miss Treva Klinedinst, daughter of Mrs. Sarah Klinedinst of Hanover, was married to Curtis Bollinger, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bollinger, Gettysburg, in the parsonage of the Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, Lancaster, by Rev. Dr. A. B. McIntosh, pastor, Tuesday, July 3rd. The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Naylor Tate, Lancaster, formerly of Gettysburg. Both the bride and bridegroom have been employed for some time at the Hanover Shoe Factory. They left on a wedding trip to New York, Philadelphia and Atlantic City. Upon their return they will reside in Hanover at the home of the bride's mother.

Bosenberg-Felty—Robert J. Bosenberg, of Dayton, Ohio, and Miss Marie E. Felty, granddaughter of Geo. T. Felty, Sr., of New Oxford, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Felty, of York were married on Thursday morning, July 5th, with a low nuptial mass, in St. Patrick's church, York, by Fr. Louis Yeager, assistant rector. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Loretta Felty, as maid of honor. Bernard and Earl Felty, brothers of the bride, were ushers. For the present they will reside at the home of the bride's

parents. Miss Felty has been employed as stenographer in the workers' compensation branch of the labor department, of Harrisburg. Mr. Bosenberger is service manager for the National Cash Register Co. in York.

Barbehenn-Gray—Chas. E. Barbehenn and Miss Lena J. Gray, both of Gettysburg, were married Thursday evening by Rev. J. Kern McKee, D.D., pastor of Zion Reformed Church, York.

Allen-Miller—Miss Margaret Miller, daughter of Mrs. Jennie O. Miller, Gettysburg, and Charles Allen were married June 5, at Miami, Fla. The bride has been in Miami for two years.

Sherman-Ward—Mark L. Sherman son of Mrs. Alberta Sherman, formerly of Adams county, and Miss Nellie M. Ward, of Brocton, Mass., were married at St. Paul's Church, Brocton, on June 19, by the Rev. David B. Matthews.

Snyder-Kane—Maurice C. Snyder, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Snyder, of Gettysburg, and Miss Lottie Elizabeth Kane, daughter of Andrew Kane of Ayerdsville, were joined in marriage by the Rev. Father Stock on Thursday afternoon, July 5.

Chronister-Butcher—Melvin J. Chronister, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Chronister, of York, formerly of East Berlin, and Miss Eleanor Butcher, of York, were married on June 23, by Rev. J. Kern McKee.

Straley-Warehime—Miss Emma Warehime, daughter of Mrs. Emma Warehime, of Westminster, Md., and Paul Straley, of Two Taverns, were married in Pittsburgh on July 3. Miss Warehime boarded in McSherrystown for some time while she was employed in the Hanover Shoe Factory. Mr. Straley was employed in a furniture factory in Gettysburg.

Orndorff-Walker—John C. Orndorff, of Harrisburg, son of Mrs. Louise J. Orndorff, of Hanover, and Mrs. Maude Menota Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William P. Bartley, of Harrisburg, were married by the Rev. Harry Daniels on Thursday afternoon, July 5.

Elicker-Reilly—On June 29, at the Muhlenberg Lutheran parsonage, in Hanover, Jesse W. Elicker, of York Springs, and Miss Ida I. Reilly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reilly, of Hanover, R. D. 3, were married by Rev. Fred S. Geesey. They will reside at the home of the bride's parents.

Cook-Markell—On Thursday evening, July 5th, Rev. Harry Daniels married Joseph E. Cook and Miss Jessie M. Markell, both of Reistersville, Md.

What May Happen to Our Railroads.

At a hearing in May before the Interstate Commerce Commission, Agnew T. Dice, president of the Reading System, including the Harrisburg and Gettysburg Railway, presented a statement against the consolidation of the railway properties of the United States into a limited number of systems. This statement has recently been put in print and a copy has reached our desk. The Philadelphia Inquirer speaking editorially of this statement said:

President Dice's protest against the absorption of the Reading Company by the Baltimore and Ohio will have much weight with those who know Mr. Dice and what he represents. It is only a few years since a band of zealous insisted that our country's safety lay in tearing apart large railroad systems. Now another party of equally zealous men are demanding that all the 265,000 miles of railroad in the United States be welded into a few great companies.

The tearing asunder was to be done by law. The amalgamation is to be effected with a club. Both operations are loaded with dynamite.

In nearly all cases during the century in which railroads have grown in the United States, they have gone where necessity called. They were built to give certain localities the facilities needed.

To say now that every city, great or small, depends upon its railroad connection for existence is merely stating self-evident truth. It is also true that any favoritism of one over another is the matter of transportation would instantly register in the business and trade of the cities affected.

Hence to smash existing companies by forcing them to become a part of another is a highly delicate matter not only for the railroads, but for the population they serve.

To saddle forcibly bankrupt concerns upon prosperous companies which have been built up by years of effort would be grossly unfair to the owners of the company compelled to assume such a liability. On the other hand, to sandbag a gilt-edge property into the lap of one not so fortunately equipped would be just as unfair to its owners.

So this question of bigger railroad systems is serious all around. It cannot be settled with gammar tactics. It dare not be made an adjunct of political ambitions nor financial speculation.

Bigger and fewer transportation systems may be necessary, but the country will tolerate no blackjack methods. That stands for the railroad and their owners, and it also stands for the much greater factor of the people who can only prosper with adequate transportation.

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